ANNA LEESIS

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OBJECTIVE

To obtain a full- or part-time position as an Analytical Chemist in the pharmaceutical industry

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Specialization Biochemistry

Expected May 2013

Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec

- Internship at the Montreal Children's Hospital resulted in a report on Quality Control
- Dean's List 2010 & 2012
- Exchange Student at Cooper Union College, New York City, NY

Diploma of Collegial Studies, Pure and Applied Sciences

2009

Dawson College, Montreal, Quebec

RELEVANT SKILLS & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Technical

- Performed physical tests for quality control at a medical laboratory
- Conducted HPLC and GC analysis, prepared samples, and performed essays for various research projects
- Performed wet chemistry such as specific gravity, titrations and spectrophotometric analyses as a Laboratory Demonstrator

Research

- Assisted in the research of RNA-protein interactions in the Measles Virus in conjunction with Professor Tess Titube
- Reported on standard procedures regarding quality control in hospital laboratories as part of a practical summer internship
- Assisted on a research team responsible for cloning e-coli at Concordia University
- Analyzed data using various statistical programs including SPSS
- Distributed and evaluated census questionnaires to respondents, ensuring complete and accurate data gathering

Communication

- Tutored high school level sciences to students on an individual basis
- Collaborated on the implementation of an orientation programme for new university students
- Enlisted employers to participate in a Science Fair on behalf of Concordia's Biochemistry Student Association
- Designed promotional material for a Café using Word, Photoshop, and QuarkXpress

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Laboratory Demonstrator Summer 2010

Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec

Census Commissioner Summer 2010

Federal Government of Canada, Montreal, Quebec

Counterperson Summer 2009

Cookie's Cafe, Victoria, British Columbia

Store Clerk Summer 2006 - 2008

The GAP, Montreal, Quebec

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant Fall 2010

Professor Tess Titube, Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec

Academic Peer Helper 2009

Dawson College, Montreal, Quebec

Academic Peer Helper 2007 - 2008

Vanier College, Montreal, Quebec

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Member 2010-Present

Biochemistry Student Association Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec

COMPUTER SKILLS

Windows, Word, Excel, SPSS, Photoshop, QuarkXPress, Explorer and Outlook in both an PC and Macintosh environment

LANGUAGES

English and intermediate French

INTERESTS

Microcell Development, Genetics, Crosswords, Romantic Fiction, Golf and Travel